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## R. Roberts Sharply Challenges Mayor's Group on Statement

by Thomas X. White

At the beginning of the June 22 regular meeting of the Greenbelt City Council, Councilmember Rodney Roberts requested that the mayor's statement on election reform issues read at the beginning of the previous council meeting of June 8 be placed on the evening's agenda. Such requests by members of council are usually agreed to and Roberts' item was added as no. 24 on a fairly full agenda.

The item in question was a brief statement the mayor had read during the Approval of Agenda portion of the June 8 meeting of council, specifically: "Mayor Davis asked to remove item # 13.D, the Charter Amendment to change the date of the council elections from odd-numbered years to even-numbered years, from the agenda."

Davis then read the following prepared statement:

"As a result of further consideration and discussion, we have concluded that the best course is to move on increasing the size of the Council from five to seven members, but to defer any decision to move the date of the election from its present odd-numbered year until after the new, larger council is seated. We also will move forward on the voter participation and education/outreach initiatives we discussed in our May 26th meeting. "We believe the addition of two open seats for this year's election will

give citizens a good opportunity to add diversity to the Council and to increase voter interest and turnout. We also believe that the question of whether movement of the dates of the election to even-numbered years is prudent for the City is one which has many pros and cons.

"The debate on such a move will continue regardless of the action we take on it, and, at this point, we are concerned that the controversy will overshadow and interfere with these upcoming important Council elections. Therefore, we are deferring any decision and further discussion on the proposition of moving the date of the Council elections until the new Council is seated."

### Item Removed

At the June 8 meeting the four members present agreed to remove item #13.D from the agenda as requested by the mayor. (Councilmember Edward Putens was not present.) Just past 10 p.m. at the June 22 meeting, when the requested item came up for discussion, Roberts initiated discussion of the mayor's prepared statement with several strong allegations regarding use of the collective "we" term throughout the statement and, since he had not been aware of the statement's contents until about five minutes before the meeting, he wondered aloud as to "when or where" the item was discussed by council.

## Council Okays Safe Routes Project for Springhill Lake

by Jon Sham

At their meeting Monday night, June 22, the Greenbelt City Council approved Springhill Lake Elementary School for submission to the Maryland Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Grant Program, a national program to encourage children to walk and bike to school.

City planning staff has recommended that Greenbelt request an SRTS grant of approximately \$130,000 for the Springhill Lake project for engineering and encouragement and traffic calming. They say this will be the request most likely to be approved by the Maryland Highway Safety Office (MHSO).

"My read of this is that program is really . . . a nuts and bolts kind of program," said City Manager Michael P. McLaughlin. "They were really looking for projects that would improve existing pathways, connect areas where there might be a gap in pathways."

Projects that will be considered for an SRTS grant must be for

children in kindergarten through 8th grade and must be within two miles of the school. As well, projects that include the four Es, that is, enforcement, education, engineering and encouragement, will be given special consideration to receive the grant.

And although the Springhill Lake project would be considered a win for Greenbelt, Councilmember Leta M. Mach expressed frustration over a project for the future Greenbelt Middle School.

"I'm disappointed that it appears a pedestrian overpass would not be possible in the future," she said. "I still like to think there could be some way we could find some funding for a pedestrian overpass for Greenbelt Middle School but it doesn't look like it's going to come from this area," she said.

The planning staff added in their memo to McLaughlin that the MHSO would be more likely to grant funding for the middle school overpass if the Springhill Lake project is successful.

"Where was the meeting?" he asked. If there was such a discussion and/or a meeting, he was not notified or invited to take part, he charged.

Putens, who had not been present when the statement was read, also indicated he was not aware of nor had he been notified of any meeting.

Davis and Councilmembers Leta Mach and Konrad Herring insisted there had been no meeting but rather an exchange of emails or calls resulting in formation of the statement and that the genesis of the statement may have been precipitated by an email from Mach to the city's outside counsel for the election reform issues, Stephen Sylvestri. In that email communication dated June 3 from Mach to Sylvestri, with a copy to Manzi, Mach posed the following question: "... would it be OK to indicate that if this upcoming election results in more diversity on council and/or more turnout that the change (moving to even year elections) would be rescinded? That would be assuming the incoming council did it but candidates could pledge one way or the other. Any thoughts on this would be much appreciated." (The News Review requested but did not receive any emails that may have been exchanged between councilmembers, staff or counsels on the topic.)

It was also brought out in discussion that Sylvestri had assisted with preparation of the statement read by the mayor at the June 8 meeting.

Roberts continued his questioning of the process that had taken place, making strong charges that regular council procedures were not followed. He said he believed the issue was serious enough to warrant an outside investigation into whether there was a breach of council procedures and/or violations of the Maryland Open Meetings law. He suggested that three members of council, in effect, had taken action without notice

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### What Goes On

**Wednesday, July 1**

7:30 p.m., Advisory Planning Board Meeting, Community Center, Room 103.

**Saturday, July 4**

6:15 p.m., Greenbelt Concert Band at Buddy Attick Park Bandstand.

7:30 to 9 p.m., Drumming At dusk, Fireworks

## Celebrate July 4th at Lake: Fireworks, Music and More

The city will hold a variety of free Fourth of July activities on Saturday, July 4 at Buddy Attick Park. All are welcome at the city's Independence Day celebration. There will be a stellar fireworks display over Greenbelt Lake at approximately 9 p.m. The display lasts for 20 to 30 minutes. Come early to claim a viewing spot and enjoy additional programs and amenities at the park.

### Kids' Crafts

From 3 to 6 p.m., the Greenbelt Recreation Department will operate a kids' craft tent at the lake front. Wear old clothes and bring white cotton shirts, socks, bags or bandanas to tie-dye. People can also enjoy the playground and walk the beautiful, wooded trail that winds about one-and-one-quarter miles around the lake. Refreshments will be available for purchase courtesy of Greenbelt Babe Ruth Baseball. (No additional concession permits can be granted at this time.)



At 6:15 p.m., tap toes to a rousing performance by the Greenbelt Concert Band featuring a variety of patriotic selections. From 7:30 to 9 p.m. it's time for individual musical expression. Celebrate freedom and the interweaving of individual rhythms by participating in a community drum circle at the bandstand led by facilitator Katy Gaughan. Bring a drum or use one that is provided. No experience is necessary and all ages are welcome.

Be sure to observe all posted parking regulations and cooperate with the Greenbelt Police Department who will staff the Fourth of July celebration. For the safety of all, fireworks (including sparklers) and alcohol may not be brought into the park.

Buddy Attick Park is located on Crescent Road near Kenilworth Avenue. In the case of inclement weather call the Greenbelt Recreation Department Weather and Information Hotline at 301-474-0646 for schedule adjustments.

### A Profile

## Pastor Dan Hamlin Celebrates 25th Anniversary in Greenbelt

by Paula Clindestinst



Pastor Dan Hamlin, Greenbelt's own "liturgical clown," gets ready to walk in a Labor Day Festival Parade.

iron foundry, all in upstate New York.

Hamlin got involved with Greenbelt's Labor Day Festival through congregation members Kathy Fominaya and Kenny Voigt, both longtime members of the Labor Day Festival Committee. "They knew of my carpentry

experience, so I helped build an extension to the stage and, although I am afraid of heights, I helped put up the lights every year," says Hamlin.

For many years since then Hamlin has been the off-stage announcer for the Miss Greenbelt Pageant and for several years, unbeknownst to many, he was a clown in the Labor Day Parade. Eventually other members of GCC joined Hamlin in the so-called "liturgical clowning" and for many years, the group was part of the parade.

Being part of GILA "was a condition of my employment," states Hamlin, "and I feel that I am carrying on an important tradition." (GILA, although it has

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# Letters to the Editor

## Waterfowl Crossing Sign Needed

Earlier this year I saw the remains of a goose who had been run over on Hanover Parkway, where the geese and ducks frequently cross from the pond near the post office. I was wondering whether the city has considered erecting a goose or duck crossing sign to encourage motorists to be on the lookout for them? Thank you.

Mark Farrell  
Springshire Way

## Dogs and Youthful Newspaper Carriers

I am the mother of two boys who have the paper route at Research and Ridge Roads. My son, Mark, was bitten by a dog on Research Road last night. I have spoken to the homeowner and notified her that my son was terrified and very upset. He has a huge bruise and a cut from the dog's tooth.

I am writing to you to please put something in the newspaper to notify readers that they need to be mindful that most of the delivery people are children or teenagers and they are usually not walking the complete route with a parent or adult. They should also keep in mind that the delivery people are walking around and if their pet is out that the slightest bark or growl would scare anyone, especially someone that has to approach the house. They need to make sure that all dogs are kept in the yard or the house on Fridays until their paper is delivered. I would hate for another person to be bitten or frightened by someone's precious pet.

I also would hate for my son to want to give up the paper route because of dogs. If you could please post something, we would appreciate it. Thank you.

Catherine Capotosto

## Kids' Herb Planting At Farmers Market

Those who missed the children's herb planting session at the farmers market last weekend are invited to stop by anytime between 10 a.m. and noon to participate in this fun children's activity. There are still a few sage, chive, lemon verbena, anise hyssop, lavender, basil and mint plants that need a good home. Quantities are limited so be sure to get there early.

## Former Staffer Sends Fond Letter Home

To those who might still remember me – believe me, I never forget my days when the paper played such a large part in my life. Great days!

I had a knee replacement in March and it didn't go well so I've been in and out of hospitals and nursing home. It is much better now and I'm back to my routine of volunteer activities and bridge.

I have followed the ACLU/NAACP attack on the election system with great astonishment. It seems to me that Greenbelt is the last city on earth which should be accused of doing anything which would hinder diverse participation in civic affairs. The fault, if you can call it that, lies in the unwillingness and lack of interest in getting involved.

I really admired the editorial you wrote. I'll bet that took some brainstorming!

And can the Sir Walter Raleigh really be 28 years old? Why, it seems like only yesterday . . .

Mavis Fletcher

**Editor's Note:** Mavis Fletcher, who sent a nice donation along with her note, was an integral part of the News Review staff from 1980 to 1989, serving as president, city council reporter and senior copy editor.

## Aviation Museum Scavenger Hunt

During the Golden Age of Aviation, aero clubs across the country sponsored aviation scavenger hunts, pitting teams of pilots against each other and against the clock to collect items and win prizes. Following that tradition, the College Park Aviation Muse-

## Crazy Quilt Festival To Be on Saturday

On Saturday, June 27 from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. the Crazy Quilt Festival will be held in Roosevelt Center. This free, outdoor concert starts off with a Kids Open Microphone session and continues throughout the day, featuring a wide variety of local musicians playing old time rock, folk, jazz, bassa nova, pop and experimental music. The festival is produced by the New Deal Café, which is celebrating the Café's reopening with Chef Karim and his menu. For a complete schedule of the music, visit [www.newdealcafe.com](http://www.newdealcafe.com) or [www.crazyquiltfestival.com](http://www.crazyquiltfestival.com). The Crazy Quilt Festival is sponsored by the Friends of New Deal Café Arts (FONDCA) with supporting grants from the City of Greenbelt and Prince George's County.

## Farmers Market Needs Votes

This summer Local Harvest and Care2 have joined forces to create a fun contest celebrating love for America's farmers markets. The winning market receives \$5,000 while the top recruiter wins \$50. The Greenbelt Farmers Market is asking fans to visit <http://www.care2.com/farmersmarket> to cast their vote.

### Another Vote

While voting, continue to show support for the Greenbelt Farmers Market by visiting <http://www.farmland.org> and voting for the Greenbelt Farmers Market in a contest sponsored by the American Farmland Trust to promote farmers markets across the country.

um is partnering with the Prince George's County History Consortium to host a summer scavenger hunt through August 31. Visit historic sites and collect clues to qualify for prizes. Rules and the first clue can be picked up at the College Park Aviation Museum.

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## Don't Let the Dogs Out!



Recently one of our young carriers was bitten by a dog while delivering the News Review.

**A reminder to all: our carriers are the children of our community – your friends and neighbors,** distributing the paper as a contribution to the good of our community and for a very small stipend. *Please keep pets inside until the paper has been delivered on Friday afternoons.*

## Grin Belt



"Moon . . . Mars . . . Mars . . . Moon . . ."

## On Screen

### Unusual Family Drama

In "My Sister's Keeper," Sara (Cameron Diaz) and Brian (Jason Patric) have the perfect family – that is, until their daughter Anna is diagnosed with leukemia. They have another child, in the hope that the child can provide genetic material for Anna's leukemia treatments. The two daughters grow up to be close but the family is soon torn apart when Anna seeks medical emancipation from her parents and hires a lawyer (Alec Baldwin). From Nick Cassavetes, the director of "The Notebook," comes this touching portrait of a family dealing with tremendous challenges. It is adapted from the bestselling book of the same name by Jodi Picoult. "My Sister's Keeper" opens nationally and in Greenbelt on June 26. It is rated PG-13 for mature themes.

– Carol Griffith

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(PG-13)  
Friday  
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# Community Events

## Menu for Senior Nutrition Program

The Senior Nutrition "Food and Friendship" program provides lunches for seniors Monday through Friday at the Community Center beginning at noon. Meals need to be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead so that enough food is ordered. Call 301-397-2208, ext. 4215.

All meals include bread and margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for June 29 through July 3 include:

Monday – Navy bean soup, Swedish meatballs, egg noodles, seasoned carrots, stewed apples.

Tuesday – Orange juice, veal patty with cheese, mixed vegetables, whole boiled potatoes, peach supreme.

Wednesday – Apple juice, barbecue pork on a bun, baked beans, cole slaw, lime sherbet.

Thursday – Cranapple juice, hamburger on a bun, hot dog on a bun, baked beans, potato salad, fresh watermelon.

Friday – All sites closed. Happy 4th of July!

## At the Library

### Storytimes

A librarian will read age-appropriate stories.

Tuesday, June 30, 10:30 a.m., Cuddletime for newborns to 17 months old with caregiver, limit 15 babies.

Wednesday, July 1, 10:30 and 11 a.m., Toddertime for ages 18 to 35 months with caregiver, limit 15 children for each group.

Thursday, July 2, 10:30 a.m., Drop-in Storytime for ages three to five years, limit 20 children.

Caregivers are asked to pick up a free ticket at the Children's Desk.

### Teen Advisory Board

Tuesday, June 30, 6:30 p.m. Teens will be asked what they want at the library. Help plan and run events. Snacks will be provided.



## GHI Notes

Friday, June 26, Offices Closed. Emergency maintenance available. Call 301-474-6011.

Sunday, June 28, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Gardening Workshop, Board Room (see ad on page 6)

Wednesday, July 1, 7:30 p.m., Finance Committee Meeting – Board Room

CANCELLED 7 p.m., Member & Community Relations Committee

Friday, July 3 – Offices Closed for Independence Day Holiday (Emergency maintenance available. Call 301-474-6011.)

Monday, July 6, 7 p.m., Companion Animal Grief Support Group – GHI Library

7:15 p.m., Pre-purchase Orientation – Board Room

Tuesday, July 7, 8:30 a.m., Ad-Hoc Yard Line Committee – GHI Library

7 p.m., Member & Community Relations Committee – GHI Lobby

Wednesday, July 8, 7:30 p.m., Architectural Review Committee – GHI Library

7:30 p.m., Marketing Committee – Board Room

Committee and board meetings are open; members are encouraged to attend.

## How Best to Honor Esther Webb's Life?

How would Esther Webb have wanted to be honored for her long years of service to the Greenbelt community? The Peace & Justice Coalition of Prince George's County is planning a memorial to its late co-founder. Aware that Esther Webb was involved via many local channels in varied progressive causes, the group invites the whole community to participate in a brainstorm on how best to carry forward her work and honor her life. This discussion will be the first item on the agenda of the group's regular monthly business meeting Thursday, July 2 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center. Everyone is welcome to participate and offer suggestions.

## Open Microphone For Kids Saturday

There will be a Kids' Open Microphone session in Roosevelt Center this Saturday, June 27 from 10 to 11 a.m., hosted by Joe Harris. This will open the Crazy Quilt Festival. Children aged 17 and under are invited to perform for up to five minutes, playing a musical instrument, singing, dancing, reciting a poem, etc.

## Writers Group Is Seeking Photos

The Greenbelt Writers Group (GWG) has chosen the theme "Crescent Road" for its 2009 annual anthology of works of poetry, fiction and creative nonfiction. In keeping with the theme, the group is soliciting photographs of Greenbelt sights to be used as cover pictures, background photos or to separate the literary pieces of the anthology, which will be printed in black and white.

The group is unable to compensate photographers for the use of the pictures but will happily acknowledge all photographers in print by name and with a short biography if desired. The GWG's anthologies are sold throughout Maryland.

All interested photographers may contact GWG officers Matt Arbach at mparbach@verizon.net or Carol Griffith at carolagrif@msn.com. Photographs of all sizes, in color or black and white, are most welcome.

For more Community Events see pages 2 and 12.

## Greenbelt Hosts Blood Drive

The next blood drive in Greenbelt, sponsored by the Greenbelt Recreation Department and the American Red Cross, will be held on Tuesday, June 30 from 1 to 8 p.m. at the Greenbelt Municipal Building.

The urgent need for blood makes a large turnout important.

Those who have not already made an appointment through the Red Cross may call Janet Goldberg at 301-397-2212.



## Charlestowne North Pizza Party Sunday

The Charlestowne North Tenants Association (CNTA) will host a pizza party for tenants and families on Sunday, June 28 from 6 to 9 p.m. in the community room with pizza from Domino's.

The CNTA exists to encourage communication and cooperation among tenants, to protect and promote the interests of its members in their dealings with owners and managers and to further develop a sense of community.

## Toastmasters Meet

The next meeting of Toastmasters is on Wednesday, July 8 from 7 to 9 p.m. at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 6905 Greenbelt Road. Learn to lead teams, communicate effectively and conduct meetings. For more information about free Toastmasters sessions call 301-906-0865.

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## Week of June 26

### FRI. - SAT.

Up, PG

11:10, 1:40, 4:15, 7, 9:35

*The Proposal, PG-13*

11:10, 1:40, 4:15, 7, 9:35

*Transformers 2, PG-13 (!)*

11:20, 11:45, 2:30, 3, 6, 6:30,

9:30, 10

*Imagine That, PG (!!!)*

11:20, 1:50, 4:20, 7:05, 9:45

*Year One, PG-13 (!!!)*

11:40, 2:40, 5:10, 7:40, 10:15

*The Hangover, R*

11:50, 2:40, 5:20, 7:45, 10:15

*Taking of Pelham 123, R*

11:45, 2:45, 5:15, 7:45, 10

### SUN.

Up, PG

11:10, 1:40, 4:15, 7

*The Proposal, PG-13*

11:10, 1:40, 4:15, 7

*Transformers 2, PG-13 (!)*

11:20, 11:45, 2:30, 3, 6, 6:30,

9:30, 10

*Imagine That, PG (!!!)*

11:20, 1:50, 4:20, 7:05

*Year One, PG-13 (!!!)*

11:40, 2:40, 5:10, 7:40

*The Hangover, R*

11:50, 2:40, 5:20, 7:45

*Taking of Pelham 123, R*

11:45, 2:45, 5:15, 7:45

### MON. - TUE

Up, PG

12:30, 2:45, 5:20, 7:45

*The Proposal, PG-13*

12:30, 2:50, 5:20, 7:45

*Transformers 2, PG-13 (!)*

12:20, 12:45, 3:30, 4, 7, 7:20

*Imagine That, PG*

12:20, 2:45, 5:20, 7:45

*Year One, PG-13*

12:40, 3:25, 5:50, 8:15

*The Hangover, R*

12:40, 3:20, 5:50, 8:15

*Taking of Pelham 123, R*

12:40, 3:20, 5:50, 8:15

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Condolences to Gus and Nancy Tolzman of Orange Court and their family on the death of Gus's mother Margaret Tolzman, who died June 22, 2009, at the age of 94.

#### Congratulations to:

— Family practitioner Rosaline Langley-Fraser, MD, at 6201 Greenbelt Road, who was awarded 2009 Gold Star distinction by AmeriChoice's Unison Health Plan.

— ERHS student Delphia Varadarajan, who was one of 143 students statewide named as a 2009 Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholar. Each also receives a four-year scholarship worth up to \$1,500 per year.

— Fred and Dorothy Baluch, now home at their Ohio farm, send greetings to their Greenbelt friends and report the birth of their first great-grandchild, Molly Ann Haines, on June 17, 2009, to Sean and Becky Haines of Hagerstown, Md. Sean is the son of the Baluchs' daughter Barbara of Front Royal, Va.

A fond farewell and best wishes in her new home to our good neighbor and weekly advertiser Mary Kingsley, whose last ad appears this week, as she is moving from Greenbelt and closing her realty business at least for the present.

We were happy to see the very nice article in last week's Gazette about Patrick and Cornelia Kennedy's coincidental and long-term 25th shared anniversary with Pasta Plus Restaurant in Laurel. The celebrating Greenbelt duo and the restaurant held a special joint Sunday morning anniversary party on June 7, following the restaurant's 25th on June 1, with all proceeds going to an Abruzzo, Italy, earthquake relief fund. Cornelia was a former News Review staffer. Congratulations Kennedys!

A newsy letter arrived from Patty McLeod Tupper, heading toward her new home north of the border. She is happy to be granted a year to file for permanent resident status in Canada. She greatly appreciated the GPS her brother gave her to help her "keep the correct roads" as she made her way north stopping with friends and family.

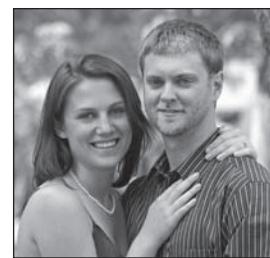
She picked up her almost-new husband Jim Tupper in Ft. McLeod. They proceeded to Vulcan, where they saw a small version of the Starship Enterprise and then headed home to North Star. She plans to post pictures on Facebook. Patty's and Jim's address is Box 63, North Star, Alberta, Canada TOH 270.

Send us your reports of new babies, awards, honors, etc. to share with our readers. We'd especially like to hear more from our neighbors in Greenbelt East and Greenbelt West. To send information for "Our Neighbors" email us at [newsreview@greenbelt.com](mailto:newsreview@greenbelt.com) or leave a message at 301-474-6892.

— Kathleen McFarland



#### Jones – Luton to be Wed



Larry and Mary Jones of Birmingham, Ala., announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter Lisa Anne Jones to Andrew Michael Luton, son of Lisa and Kenny Collins and Michael and Elaine Luton, all of Dover, Tenn. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Shirley Palmer and the late Lawrence Palmer of Greenbelt and Betty Jones and the late Jack Jones of Americus, Ga.

Lisa is a 2004 graduate of Centennial High School in Franklin, Tenn. She is a 2009 graduate of Austin Peay State University, Clarksville, Tenn., with a degree in elementary education.

The groom is the grandson of Katy Luton and the late Leon Luton and Betty Pully and the late Clay B. Pully, all of Dover. The groom is a 2000 graduate of Stewart County High School in Dover, Tenn., and earned his bachelor's degree in health and human performance and his master's degree in leadership and administration from Austin Peay State University. He is currently a physical education teacher at Dover Elementary School. Andy is also a member of the Stewart County Commissioners.

The wedding will be held on July 11, 2009, in Dover, Tenn.

#### Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church



#### 40 Ridge Road, Greenbelt

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 Prayer Meeting Sun. 9:45 am

#### Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church



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June 28, 10 a.m.

"Israel – Palestine: A Progressive Jew's Dilemma" by Kay Halpern, guest speaker and a member of the Worship Associates Team  
 An active member of a local synagogue, Kay often feels torn between the two sides in this painful conflict. She tries to listen to both sides and stand up for what she believes. Join Kay for a Reverberations session during Enrichment Hour.



#### HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

6905 Greenbelt Road • 301-345-5111

Summer Worship: One service at 9:30 am  
 through September 6, 2009  
 (No Sunday School/Bible Study)



Fax 301-220-0694 • E-mail [myholycross@verizon.net](mailto:myholycross@verizon.net)

#### ST. HUGH OF GRENOBLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

135 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770

301-474-4322



#### Mass Schedule:

Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m.

Daily Mass: 7:15 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Pastor: Rev. Walter J. Tappe

Pastoral Associate: Rev. R. Scott Hurd



Catholic  
 Community  
 of Greenbelt  
 MASS

Sundays 10 A.M.  
 Municipal Building

#### Mishkan Torah Congregation

10 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770  
 Rabbi Jonathan Cohen      Cantor Phil Greenfield

Friday evening services 8:00 PM except first Friday of the month, when children's service begins at 7:30 PM

Saturday morning services - 9:30 AM  
 Children's Education, Adult Education, Social Action, etc.

For further information call 301 474-4223 [www.mishkantorah.org](http://www.mishkantorah.org)  
 Conservative and Reconstructionist

#### Twilight Tuesdays At Patuxent Refuge

The Patuxent Research Refuge usually closes before supper time. When the days are longer, it offers Twilight Tuesdays – days during the summer when the grounds are open until 7:30 p.m. The Refuge's North Tract is open late on the first Tuesday of the month: July 7 and August 4. The National Wildlife Visitor Center stays open till 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month: July 14 and August 11.

The North Tract entrance is on Rte. 198 between the B-W Parkway and Rte. 32. The Visitor Center is located on Powder Mill Road between the B-W Parkway and Rte. 197.



St. George's Episcopal Church

Join us around a table where all are welcome!

#### Location

7010 Glenn Dale Road  
 (Lanham-Severn Road & Glenn Dale Road)  
 301 262-3285

[rector@stgeo.org](mailto:rector@stgeo.org) / [www.stgeo.org](http://www.stgeo.org)

#### Services

- Sundays  
 8 a.m. simple, quiet service (no music)
- 10 a.m. main service (music includes a mixture of acoustic guitar, piano, and organ music)
- Wednesdays  
 7 p.m. service with healing prayers (no music)

The purpose of religion as revealed from the heaven of God's holy Will is to establish unity and concord amongst the peoples of the world; make it not the cause of dissension and strife . . .

The progress of the world, the development of nations, the tranquility of peoples and the peace of all who dwell on earth are among the principles and ordinances of God. (Bahá'u'lláh)

#### Greenbelt Bahá'í Community

1-800-22-UNITE      301-345-2918  
[Greenbelt.Bahai.Info@gmail.com](mailto:Greenbelt.Bahai.Info@gmail.com)      [www.bahai.us](http://www.bahai.us)



#### Greenbelt Baptist Church

101 Greenhill Road  
 Greenbelt, MD 20770 – (301) 474-4212  
[www.greenbeltbaptist.org](http://www.greenbeltbaptist.org)

Welcome!

Sunday 9:45 am      Sunday School  
 Sunday 11:00 am      Worship Service  
 Wednesday 7:00 pm      Prayer Meeting/Bible Study

ALL are Welcome!

"Helping People Connect with Christ and His Family Through Loving Service"

#### Greenbelt Community Church

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST



Hillside & Crescent Roads  
 Phone: 301-474-6171 mornings

[www.greenbelttucc.org](http://www.greenbelttucc.org)  
 Sunday Worship  
 10:15 a.m.

Daniel Hamlin, Pastor

"A church of the open mind, the warm heart, the aspiring soul, and the social vision..."



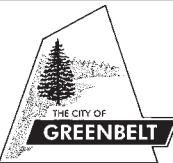
#### Bible Study & Worship

9:30 "Good Morning!!" Coffee and Snacks  
 10:00 a.m. Bible Study      11:00 a.m. Worship

Greenbelt Youth Center      99 Centerway  
 (Behind the Community Center)

We want you to be a part of our celebration and worship!  
 301-474-4499

...living life together



# City Information

## Greenbelt Advisory Planning Board

July 1, 2009, 7:30 PM

### Greenbelt Community Center, Room 103

AGENDA : I. Call to Order, II. Approval of Agenda  
III. Approval of Meeting Minutes: June 17, 2009  
IV. Discussion of the Development of a City-wide Pedestrian and Bicycle Plan – Review of Infrastructure Map from Toole Design Group V. Adjourn

This agenda is subject to change. For confirmation that the meeting is being held and/or for questions regarding scheduled items please call 301-345-5417.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Greenbelt Board of Appeals

Variance # 09-001-V

Notice is hereby given that the Greenbelt Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on July 1, 2009 at 7:00 pm in the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, Suite 200, Greenbelt MD on a variance application filed by Suzanne J. Kofchik for consideration of a request for a variance on premises located at 6 Fayette Place, Greenbelt, MD. The applicant is requesting a variance of 4.5 feet from front yard setback requirement for the purpose of constructing a roof over an existing concrete stoop. For additional information please contact the Greenbelt Department of Planning and Community Development at (301) 345-5417.

## INVITATION TO BID

The City of Greenbelt, Maryland, invites sealed bids for furnishing the following:

Replastering of the Main Indoor Pool at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center

This work is to be done at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center – 101 Centerway, Greenbelt, MD 20770. Interested bidders may pick up a bid specifications package for Bid 2009-2 at:

City of Greenbelt Finance Office  
25 Crescent Road  
Greenbelt, MD 20770

Please call Joe McNeal at (301) 397-2200 regarding bid submission questions. Bids must be RECEIVED no later than 7/08/09 at 10 a.m.

Bids will be opened publicly at 10:10 a.m. on 7/08/09.

**4TH OF JULY FANFARE  
BUDDY ATTICK PARK  
SATURDAY, JULY 4TH**  
\* FREE KIDS CRAFTS  
\*GREENBELT CONCERT BAND  
\*COMMUNITY DRUM CIRCLE  
\*FIREWORKS AT DUSK

Help support Greenbelt's volunteer organizations! Concessions by Greenbelt Babe Ruth!

**INFO: GREENBELT CITYLINK**  
[www.greenbeltdmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov)

Please be sure to observe all posted parking regulations. Alcohol and personal fireworks (including sparklers) are NOT permitted in the park. In case of inclement weather, call the Weather and Information Hotline at 301-474-0646

## GREENBELT CARES BABYSITTING COURSE

Wednesday, July 8 from 1pm-4pm  
Greenbelt Municipal Building

This is a free course targeted toward students completing grades 5-8. Students will learn responsibility and health and safety issues of taking care of children, as well as learning about poison control and fire prevention.

Students who complete the course will receive a certificate of completion and be eligible to participate in Greenbelt CARES ODD JOBS/JOB BANK program.

For additional information and enrollment, call 301-345-6660, ext. 2016.

## VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups.

Vacancies exist on the:

Green Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability, Youth Advisory Committee, Senior Citizens Advisory Committee, Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Arts Advisory Board, Community Relations Advisory Board

For more info call 301-474-8000.

**Members of City Advisory Boards and Committees are eligible for half-price annual individual or family memberships at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center.**

## Notice of Charter Amendment Resolutions

At its regular meeting of June 22, 2009, the City Council adopted two resolutions to amend the City Charter. As required by state law, these resolutions will be posted in their entirety for 40 days, until August 1, 2009, at the Municipal Building, as well as on the City's Web site at [www.greenbeltdmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov). Copies may also be requested of the City Clerk. The charter amendment resolutions will be come effective on August 11, 2009, unless a proper petition to submit the amendment(s) to the voters on a referendum is filed by August 1, 2009, as permitted by law. As also required by state law, this notice is given to provide a fair summary of both resolutions.

### Charter Amendment Resolution No. 2009-1

A Resolution of The City of Greenbelt Adopted Pursuant to the Authority of Article XI-E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23a of the Annotated Code of Maryland, (1957 Edition as Amended), Title, "Corporation-Municipal," Subtitle "Home Rule" to Amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt Found, in Whole or in Part, in the Compilation of Municipal Charters of Maryland (1983 Edition As Amended), as Prepared by the Department of Legislative Services Pursuant to Chapter 77 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1983, by Adding a New Section 27a, Titled "Early Voting" (Charter Amendment Resolution No. 2009-1)

The purpose of the above-titled resolution is to allow for early voting in Municipal elections.

### Charter Amendment Resolution No. 2009-2

A Resolution of The City of Greenbelt Adopted Pursuant to the Authority of Article XI-E of the Constitution of Maryland and Section 13 of Article 23a of the Annotated Code of Maryland, (1957 Edition as Amended), Title, "Corporation-Municipal," Subtitle "Home Rule" to Amend the Charter of the City of Greenbelt Found, in Whole or in Part, in the Compilation of Municipal Charters of Maryland (1983 Edition As Amended), as Prepared by the Department of Legislative Services Pursuant to Chapter 77 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1983, by Amending Paragraph (A) of Section 4, Titled "Creation; Qualifications; Compensation" and Section 31 Titled "Election Of Council" to Increase the Size of the Council from Five to Seven Members (Charter Amendment Resolution No. 2009-2)

The purpose of the above-titled resolution is to increase the size of the City Council to seven members.

*For additional information, contact Cindy Murray, City Clerk, at 301-474-8000 or [cmurray@greenbeltdmd.gov](mailto:cmurray@greenbeltdmd.gov).*

## CITY JOB OPENING

**Public Works Maintenance Worker II or III  
(depending on qualifications)**

P.W. Maintenance Worker II – Starting Salary \$27,643.20

P.W. Maintenance Worker III – Starting Salary \$30,492.80

The City of Greenbelt is a progressive and creative organization/ community that embraces diversity. If you take great pride in your work – the City of Greenbelt may be the place for you. This is a F/T position to include working Saturday and Sunday with alternate days off during the week. Performs general custodial duties in City buildings using chemicals and cleaning solutions. Runs powered cleaning equipment, cleans and oils it and changes brushes and accessories. Provides for the collection and disposal of refuse from City Parks and facilities in a timely manner. Drives refuse/recycling collection trucks. Must possess a high school diploma or equivalent; and two to three years of experience or any combination of education, training and experiences. A CDL driver's license is required. To apply go to [www.greenbeltdmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov) and click on current job openings.

**Greenbelt CityLink: [www.greenbeltdmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov) for city events, information and services.**

**City Council Meetings and more now streaming live from CityLink**

**Visit Greenbelt now on FaceBook!**

## SUMMER GED MINI COURSE

Greenbelt CARES begins the SUMMER 4-WEEK-GED MINI-COURSE on Tuesday, JULY 7, 2009. Course for Greenbelt residents is free, \$75 for non-Greenbelt residents. Students will be required to purchase calculators and textbooks as well. Classes are held every Tuesday and Thursday, for 4 weeks in the Municipal Building. GED I begins 10:30 - 12:30, GED II begins 1:00 - 3:00.

For enrollment information, call CARES, 345-6660, ext. 2016 or email: [jhering@greenbeltdmd.gov](mailto:jhering@greenbeltdmd.gov)

## ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

SATURDAY, JULY 25

9am-12pm

Public Works Facility  
555 Crescent Road

## GREENBELT MUNICIPAL /PUBLIC ACCESS

NOW ON COMCAST 71 &

VERIZON 21

AND STREAMING LIVE

at [www.greenbeltdmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov)

## MUNICIPAL ACCESS:

301-474-8000: Tuesday and Thursday, June 30 & July 2: 6pm "Ask the Expert" 6:30pm: "Greenbelt Concert Band" 7:30pm Not for Seniors Only... Pedestrian Workshop"

## PUBLIC ACCESS (GATE):

301-507-6581: Wednesday and Friday, July 1 & 3: 7pm "Peace and Justice Coalition – Seeking Peace in Palestine" 9:15pm Greenbelt Arts Center "Marvin's Room"

## GREENBELT ANIMAL SHELTER PETS OF THE MONTH



**Puppies:** 10-week old male and female Rottweiler puppies. Very cute and cuddly



**Beautiful Long-Haired Calico:** female, 1 year old



**Kittens:** The Greenbelt Animal Shelter has several adorable kittens that are now available for adoption.

Visit pets at the Greenbelt Animal Shelter on Wednesdays, from 4-7pm and on Saturdays from 9am-12pm.

For more information on any of these pets, call 301-474-6124.

## Greenbelt Baseball

### Major League Standings as of June 20

	W-L		W-L
Indians	17-1	Yankees	12-6
Giants	11-7	Cardinals	5-13
Tigers	11-7	Athletics	6-11
Orioles	0-17		

### Playoffs have started

Date	Games
Mon., June 22	Game 1
Tues., June 23	Game 2
Wed., June 24	Game 3
Thur., June 25	Game A
Fri., June 26	Game 4
Sat., June 27	Game 5
Sun., June 28	Game B
Mon., June 29	Game C
Tues., June 30	Game 6
Wed., July 1	Game D
Thur., July 2	Game E
Fri., July 3	
Sat., July 4	
Sun., July 5	
Mon., July 6	Championship Game 1
Tues., July 7	Championship Game 2
Wed., July 8	Championship Game 3

All games are played at McDonald Field off Southway.

### Presents Sought for Animal Shelters

An annual "Presents 4 Pets" campaign has begun for animal shelters in Greenbelt and beyond. The campaign will run through November 7. Christie Fries of Terrapin Pets in Beltsville reports her company is working with the sponsoring National Association of Professional Pet Sitters. Donations of toys, treats, blankets and other useful products are sought. Fries can be reached at 202-528-3271, terrapinpets@gmail.com or www.terrapinpets.com.



## Some People Don't Smile in Pictures . . .

Ask yourself if any of these areas may be affecting the beauty of your smile:



- The color or shape of your teeth
- Spaces or missing teeth
- Noticeable cavities or old dental work
- Uneven or unhealthy gums

If so, come into the offices of the McCarl Dental Group for a complete and comprehensive evaluation.

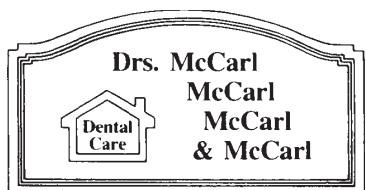


Nicole Burgess of Severna Park had severely discolored teeth from a very early age. Throughout her life, Nicole had been self-conscious of her smile. In just three short weeks, the McCarl Dental Group gave Nicole a beautiful smile and a new start in life! Call the McCarl Dental Group to see if a smile makeover could change **your** life.



It's never too late to give yourself a beautiful smile. For over three generations the McCarl family has provided a full range of dental services to Greenbelt and the surrounding communities. In the past, cosmetic dentistry was only for the wealthy. Today, however, cosmetic dentistry is affordable and available to everyone. Give someone you love the gift of a smile!

Call us today for an appointment!  
301-474-4144



### City Notes

Planning staff received notice that the Old Greenbelt Theatre permit has been approved by Prince George's County.

Facilities Maintenance workers assisted a contractor with setup of the new prefab restroom facility at Buddy Attick Lake Park.

Street Maintenance crew worked at the new restroom facility grading out dirt and digging a swale for water flow and prepared the area for contractors to pour a concrete sidewalk.

Parks and Playgrounds workers welded the main beams to steel plates in the concrete footings of the new restroom facility.

Recreation staff met to review proposals for replacement of major mechanical equipment at the Aquatic and Fitness Center.

Youth Center staff reports the 2009 Men's Summer Basketball League began play last week. All games are played Monday nights at the Youth Center, with the season running through mid-August. The league has a total of eight teams, two more than the previous summer.

The Community Center thanks Public Works for power scrubbing multiple classroom floors and the ground and third floor hallways.

#### CARES

Korede Oladapo began an internship and will be working with the tutoring program, GED program and world of work.

## COUNCIL continued from page 1

or involvement by the other two members of council.

Although Putens agreed with Roberts, he recommended that council ask Manzi to take a look at the timeline and appropriateness of the statement and report back to council.

At times during the discussion, the interchanges between the mayor and Roberts were very heated with charges and countercharges tossed back and forth. Roberts further objected to the use of Manzi to review and assess the issue because, "Mr. Manzi is too close to the issue."

Council approved the motion to request that Manzi look into the matter, with Roberts objecting and suggesting that he may proceed on his own to have the issue investigated.

**The Bus**  
Seniors and  
Disabled Customers  
**RIDE FREE**

## Growing Food in GHI Yards?



**Sunday, June 28,  
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
GHI Board Room  
1 Hamilton Place**

- Learn edible gardening tips and tricks from Master Gardeners.
- Tour innovative food gardens around Greenbelt.

- Workshop Open to all Greenbelt residents

Workshop sponsored by: GHI Sustainable Design and Practices Committee, Greenbelt Climate Action Network and Prince George's Master Gardeners

- The color or shape of your teeth
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### Polishing and Cleaning

**\$45.00**

After Complimentary Initial Dental Exam  
(Value up to \$192) Includes necessary  
X-rays on day of examination.

New patients only.  
Expires: 7/31/09

### Teeth Bleaching

**Special Only**

**\$200.00**

Reg. \$500.00

Expires: 7/31/09

### Office Hours:

Monday	8-5
Tuesday	9-8:30
Wednesday	9-8
Thursday	8-4
Friday	8-3
Saturday	8-12

**McCarl Dental Group**

**301-474-4144**

28 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770-0717



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Fresh Picked Sweet Corn White/Bi-color	<b>4/\$1.00</b>	Sweet Ripe Whole Seedless Watermelons each	<b>\$3.99</b>
Red Ripe Northwest Cherries	<b>\$2.99</b> lb.	Nutritious Broccoli Crowns	<b>\$1.69</b> lb.
Fresh Grape Tomatoes pint	<b>\$2.00</b>	Sweet Ripe California Strawberries 1 lb.	<b>\$2.99</b>

Fresh Quality Meats			
Fresh Boneless/Skinless Chicken Breasts	<b>\$1.88</b> lb.	Fresh Value Pack 80% Lean Ground Beef	<b>\$1.88</b> lb.
Fresh Choice Beef Porterhouse or T-Bone Steaks	<b>\$5.99</b> lb.	Ball Park Meat Franks Assorted 12-16 oz.	<b>BUY ONE GET ONE FREE</b>
			Hillshire Farms Kielbasa or Smoked Sausage Assorted 1 lb.
			<b>BUY ONE GET ONE FREE</b>
			Shurfine Frozen Gourmet 1/4 lb. Beef Burgers 2 lb.
			<b>\$6.99</b> lb.

Dairy		Deli		Frozen	
Kraft Phila. Cream Cheese Regular/Less Fat 8 oz. brick	<b>BUY ONE GET ONE FREE</b>	Turkey Hill Lemonade or Iced Tea Assorted 64 oz.	<b>\$1.50</b>	Deli Gourmet Low Fat Cooked Ham	<b>\$3.49</b> lb.
Kraft Cracker Barrel Cheese Chunks Assorted 7-10 oz.	<b>\$3.00</b>	Shurfine Margarine Quarters 1 lb.	<b>79¢</b>	Deli Gourmet Roast Beef	<b>\$6.99</b> lb.
Head & Shoulders Shampoo or Conditioners Assorted 13-14 oz.	<b>\$3.99</b>	Fresh Catch Salmon Portions 2 pk.	<b>\$7.98</b>	Deli Gourmet Muenster Cheese	<b>\$3.99</b> lb.
Crest Pro-Health Toothpaste Assorted 6 oz.	<b>\$2.99</b>	Sea Best Special Crab Meat 1 lb.	<b>\$8.99</b>	CO-OP Supermarket will be OPEN JULY 4th 10am til 6pm Pharmacy will be closed.	
Health & Beauty		Seafood		Natural & Gourmet	
Head & Shoulders Shampoo or Conditioners Assorted 13-14 oz.	<b>\$3.99</b>	Fresh Catch Salmon Portions 2 pk.	<b>\$7.98</b>	Asia Gourmet Rice Crackers Assorted 3.5 oz.	<b>\$1.49</b>
Crest Pro-Health Toothpaste Assorted 6 oz.	<b>\$2.99</b>	Sea Best Special Crab Meat 1 lb.	<b>\$8.99</b>	Mrs. Renfros Gourmet Salsa Assorted 16 oz.	<b>\$3.49</b>
Bakery					
				Fresh Store Baked Hot Dog & Hamburger Rolls 8 pk.	<b>\$1.79</b>
				Shurfine Potato Fries Assorted 24-32 oz.	<b>\$2.00</b>
				Shurfine 8" Store Baked Pie Orig. Apple/Cherry/Blueberry	<b>\$3.00</b>

Grocery Bargains		Grocery Bargains		Grocery Bargains	
Domino Granulated Sugar 5 lb.	<b>\$2.69</b>	San Giorgio Assorted Pasta 12-16 oz.	<b>\$1.00</b>	Hellmann's Mayonnaise Assorted 22-30 oz.	<b>\$2.50</b>
Kraft Family Size Salad Dressings Assorted 14-16 oz.	<b>\$2.00</b>	Lipton Iced Tea Mix 53 oz.	<b>\$3.99</b>	General Mill's Original Cheerios 8.9 oz.	<b>\$1.88</b>
				Kingsford Charcoal 17-18 lb.	<b>\$7.99</b>
				Banrock Station Wines 3 Liters	<b>\$15.99</b>
				Yellow Tail Sparkling Wine 750 ML	<b>\$7.99</b>
				Budweiser Beer 12 pk.-12 oz. cans	<b>\$9.69</b>

Professional Pharmacy		Beer & Wine		Banrock Station Wines 3 Liters		Don't miss all of CO-OP's other great specials featured in our 6-page full color ad flier here in your News Review And now you can find our entire weekly ad online at <a href="http://www.greenbelt.coop">www.greenbelt.coop</a> Check it out!	
• We Honor Most Prescription Plans • Medicare Billing • Courteous, Knowledgeable Staff • Free Home Delivery of Prescriptions Monday-Wednesday-Friday • Free Blood Pressure Tester • Durable Medical Equipment Sales & Rental		San Pedro Gato Wines 1.5 Liter	<b>\$7.99</b>	Lancaster Beers 6 pk.-12 oz. bottles	<b>\$8.69</b>		
		Busch Beer 6 pk.-12 oz. cans	<b>\$3.79</b>	Yellow Tail Sparkling Wine 750 ML	<b>\$7.99</b>	Budweiser Beer 12 pk.-12 oz. cans	<b>\$9.69</b>

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S	M	T	W	T	F	S	121 CENTERWAY-ROOSEVELT CENTER GREENBELT, MARYLAND	Visit us online at <a href="http://www.greenbelt.coop">www.greenbelt.coop</a>	Monday thru Saturday 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Sunday 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. 301-474-0522	
29	30	1	2	3	4				Saturday 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. 301-474-4400 Closed Sunday	

**Attempted Murder**  
June 13, 8:20 p.m., 6000 block Springhill Drive, Jonathan Isiah Jacobs, 21, of no fixed address was arrested and charged with attempted first-degree murder, attempted second-degree murder, first-degree assault, second-degree assault and reckless endangerment after allegedly chasing his pregnant ex-girlfriend down the street with a knife. Jacobs was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner. The ex-girlfriend was not injured during the attack.

**Robberies**

June 13, 8:16 p.m., Hanover Parkway at Greenway Center Drive, a woman was approached at a bus stop by a man. He grabbed her bag, pushed her to the ground and then fled on foot. The suspect is described as a black male in his 20s, 6'0" with a thin build and curly black hair, wearing black pants and a red shirt.

June 14, 4:54 p.m., 9200 block Springhill Lane, a man was approached by two males who punched him, knocking him to the ground. They stole the man's wallet and fled on foot. There is no definitive description of the suspects; one was on a bicycle.

June 15, 12:33 a.m., 6200 block Breezewood Court, a person was approached by two men who began punching him, knocking him to the ground. They stole his backpack, wallet, phone and hat and then fled on foot. The suspects are described as a black male, 24 years old, 5'10" with a thin build, black hair, wearing a white shirt and light colored shorts; and a black male, 24 years old, 5'10" with a thin build, black hair, wearing a dark shirt and light colored shorts.

June 15, 2:53 p.m., 6000 block Springhill Drive, a man was approached by two young men, who placed a hard object against the victim's neck and told him not to look at them. They took cash from the man's pocket and fled on foot. The suspects are described as a black male, 18 to 21 years of age, 5'10" to 6'0", 130 to 150 pounds, wearing a dark blue hooded sweatshirt and blue jeans; and a black male, 18 to 21 years of age, 6'2" to 6'3", 150 to 160 pounds, wearing a black hooded sweatshirt and blue jeans.

June 16, 4:55 p.m., 4 Court Gardenway, in the robbery incident at the Spellman Overpass reported in last week's News Review, the youth was petitioned for strong arm robbery, second-degree assault, resisting arrest, theft over \$500, theft under \$500, failure to obey a lawful order and disorderly conduct.

June 17, 12:19 p.m., 6000 block Breezewood Drive, a person was approached by two men, one of whom produced a knife and demanded money. The men received cash from the victim and then fled on foot. The suspects are described as two black males, both 20 to 25 years old, 5'10" to 6'0", 150 to 180 pounds with black hair; one was wearing a white shirt and jeans and the other was wearing a black shirt and jeans.

June 18, 8:57 p.m., Beltway Plaza, a man entered Game Stop, displayed a handgun and demanded money and video games. He is described as a black male, 28 to 35 years old, 5'9" to 5'10", 230 to 240 pounds with a light complexion, black hair and beard stubble, wearing a black baseball hat, a dark blue plaid jacket with gray sleeves and hood, dark jeans and black sunglasses. The suspect may have fled in a silver van, possibly a Honda Odyssey, with unknown Maryland tags.

# Police Blotter

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department, <http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov/police/index.htm>, link in left frame to "Weekly Report" or [http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov/police/weekly\\_report.pdf](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov/police/weekly_report.pdf).

Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

**Drug Arrests**

June 12, 9:20 a.m., 6000 block Springhill Drive, a resident man was arrested and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and released on a citation pending trial.

June 12, 7:20 p.m., 7800 block Mandan Road, a resident man was arrested and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia. He was released on a citation pending trial.

**Disorderly Conduct**

June 12, 10:08 a.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace, a resident man and woman were arrested and charged with disorderly conduct. Both were released on citation pending trial.

**Burglaries**

June 12, 7:20 p.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace, it was reported

that a basketball hoop, a skateboard and a bicycle were taken.

June 14, 1:08 p.m., 9100 block Springhill Lane, a vacant apartment was damaged but nothing was reported taken.

June 16, 6:40 p.m., 6100 block Breezewood Drive, a computer, television and computer game console were among the items reported taken. Two persons seen at the residence at the time of the burglary are described as a black male, 15 years of age, 5'5", thin build, black hair, wearing a black shirt and blue jeans; and a black male, 15 years old, 5'5", black hair, wearing a white shirt and jeans.

June 17, 9:56 a.m., 9000 block Breezewood Terrace, a nonresident man was arrested and charged with first-degree burglary and theft over \$500. He was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner. All the property taken was returned to the victim.

**Vehicle Crimes**

Two vehicles were reported stolen: a silver 2005 Chevrolet Malibu, Maryland tags 4BK31 from the 7200 block South Ora Court; and a dark green 1992 Chevrolet Suburban, VA tag XTM3155 from the 6200 block Breezewood Drive.

Five vehicles were recovered, two by Greenbelt police with one arrest and three by outside departments with no arrest. One tag was also recovered by an outside department and one arrest was made.

One vandalism was reported in the 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace (broken windshield).

Theft from vehicles was reported in the following areas: Lakeview Circle (change); Maplewood Court (laptop); Lakeview Circle (GPS, cash); Olivewood Court (laptop); Pinecrest Court (GPS); and Somerset Court (attempted theft).

## Police Sponsor Teen Safe Driving Course

There are openings currently available in the Greenbelt Police Department's Youth Driving Program to be held at Eleanor Roosevelt High School (ERHS) June 29 and 30 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The purpose of the program is to acclimate and educate youth between the ages of 14 and 17 to driving by using go-karts. The program, taught by ERHS School Resource Officer MPO John Rogers, lasts two days and covers State of Maryland licensing requirements, laws and responsibilities of a newly licensed driver, dangerous activities of new drivers (i.e. cell phone use, drag racing, texting while driving, etc.), what to do if involved in an accident, what to do if pulled over by the police and an introduction to the State Farm Insurance "Steer Clear Safe Driver" program.

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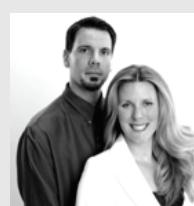
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been called different names over the years, has been in existence since 1939.) Jonathan Cohen, Mishkan Torah's rabbi and Hamlin's friend, describes Hamlin as the "clergyman's clergyman."

Says Cohen, "in my first couple of years [at Mishkan Torah] I had occasion to call on Dan's experience, common sense and kindness to help me navigate the shoals of congregational life. Every time I hear him speak I learn something useful, not only about the subject at hand but also about how to tailor the subject to suit the occasion."

### Turkey Visit

Last summer Hamlin visited Turkey as the guest of an Islamist movement. Because of his connections with the Rumi Club at the University of Maryland, he was approached about engaging in interfaith dialogue on a sponsored trip to Turkey. Hamlin toured the country and met various religious leaders, including the Chief Rabbi of Turkey, Isak Halera.

Hamlin was overwhelmed at being able to "go to places such as Haran, which is where Abraham was when God said, 'Leave your home and go to the land I will show you'" (from the Book of Genesis). Hamlin also visited Mt. Koressos, the legendary home of the Virgin Mary, and was "surprised at how powerfully moving visiting these sacred sites would be."

"My whole sense of history changed," he says. "Haran has been continuously occupied for 10,000 years."

After the nine-day tour, Hamlin brought back the realization that Muslims are people with the same hopes, fears and desires as everyone else and that "we get a distorted view of Islam from our media." He adds, "The Islamist movement that hosted me has promoted interfaith dialogue for 50 years." In a post-9/11 world, this might be powerful and surprising information; Hamlin said the most dangerous part of the trip was "getting around the beltway to Dulles Airport."

To his congregants, Hamlin is a confidante, a leader and most importantly, a friend. "When someone talks, he listens," says Barbara Ransom.

Marsha Voigt adds that "In 1984 the Community Church decided a young man serving in Pennsylvania would be a good fit for us and for Greenbelt. Goodness, has Dan proven us right! He embraces ideals the city and all of us cherish: the equality and inclusion of all people; the great value and wonder of our diversity; serving others with the unique gifts each of us possess; and most specially Dan's is a ministry of love (plus fun and laughing)."

Hamlin says that the best part of GCC is the people. Although he enjoys taking part in Safe Haven, Christmas in April and the annual Baysox game (to name a few GCC activities), what he likes most is the time spent in the Fellowship Hall each Sunday after the service.

### Socializing

Every Sunday congregation members socialize for an hour after the service, eating snacks and drinking coffee and enjoying each other's company. Hamlin talks to as many people as he can, making sure that everyone feels welcome whether a member or not.

"He makes it easy to welcome people into the church because he's so accessible," says Rick Ransom. "He greets each and every person as they leave the church after service."

Growing up in a small town where one must be fifth or sixth generation to not be considered "a newcomer," Hamlin believes that "it's important to feel that new people are always welcome."

A sign hangs in Hamlin's office that reads "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto me." The words are from the Gospel of Matthew and are words that Hamlin takes to heart.

"Since Dan Hamlin came to

the church," says Bernie Giese, "he really has energized the congregation. Church members go all-out on projects to help others, such as Christmas in April, CROP Walk and Help by Phone. Also the church bazaar and yard sale have become a lot of fun." She adds, "I also like his sermons, which emphasize serving in our faith by serving others."

Adds Ransom, "A minister doesn't have to do all the things Dan does; one could draw the line at just preaching."

### Safe Haven

As mentioned earlier, two of Hamlin's favorite GCC activities are Safe Haven, when the church hosts 15 homeless men for a week during December and Christmas in April, when church members rehabilitate a home for a disabled, elderly or low-income person or family.

"Dan has tagged our crew 'the Shock and Awe team,'" says Mike Crompton, GCC congregation member and Christmas in April House Captain. "Dan was there the first time GCC participated in a Christmas in April project and has never missed one."

"A friend commented once about how noisy the sanctuary is before a service," he says, "and that's because people are building community." Much of this is socializing but there are also discussions about upcoming events in the church and in the Greenbelt community.

"We do chat," says congregant Suze Marley, "and I think it's because we get excited about the things we're doing."

Says Hamlin, "This congregation is exceptional in that it really does put service first; it makes my job so rewarding."

One of the missions GCC supports is Church World Service (CWS), primarily through participation in and fundraising for the annual CROP Walk, held every May at Lake Artemesia. "Year after year, Dan has faithfully and lovingly led the dedication

part of the CROP Walk Celebration at GCC," says Marty Folk, congregation member and CROP Walk team leader. "Dan has always supported a strong missions program in our church. He truly believes that by giving more of yourself you will receive even more in return." Hamlin would like to participate in other CWS aid, specifically traveling to other countries to visit the locations of water projects and school projects that have been made possible by CWS.

### Supports Children

Hamlin is an avid supporter of the children of GCC and recently allowed them to conduct an entire Sunday service. He is interested in what they have to say and says that "the most important part of Children's Special Time [when the children join Hamlin at the altar before going to Sunday School] is their news." "News" could be reports of loose teeth, soccer games, birthdays or sleepovers. What matters to Hamlin is that the children are heard.

"It's nice that he lets us say stuff," says Scott Candey, 11. "It makes us feel like we're part of the congregation."

Hamlin came of age in the '60s during the civil rights and peace movements that inspired him to be the social activist he is today. The events of this turbulent time forced him to ask questions like "How can we all live together with justice and peace?"

After reading The Sermon on the Mount, Hamlin had his "a-ha moment": "here's where I should ask the questions," he discovered, and the road to his theological career was paved.

One of Hamlin's proudest moments was in 1997 when he organized a resistance to the Ku Klux Klan. Threatening flyers had been distributed throughout Greenbelt and, after rallying the other clergy, the group put together an ad for the News Review that stated that the threats would not be tolerated in Greenbelt. "It was important that Greenbelters who could have been targets knew that I stood with them,"

he states. One wonders if, at the time, Hamlin realized that he was then very much a target himself. Fortunately, the threats were never carried out.

In his spare time Hamlin likes to walk, read and go to the beach. "I'm addicted to PBS," he admits, "and I love Sherlock Holmes." He is also an avid Carolina Tar Heel fan and joined the GCC Junior Youth Group at a Maryland-Carolina women's basketball game last season. When Carolina lost, Hamlin promised to wear a Maryland T-shirt under his robe at the next Sunday service.

"Even as a pastor he makes wrong decisions," jokes Alma Knutson, 12, Junior Youth Group member, referencing Hamlin's allegiance to the Tar Heels. "Since he baptized me, though, I guess I can forgive him."

### Family Cottage

He also enjoys being with his two children and their spouses and his three grandchildren. He enjoys sailing on a lake in upstate New York that is the location of a family cottage. Originally a barn in the 1800s, the cottage is located at a steamboat stop.

In 1916 the barn was converted to a lodge and there are almost 100 years of graffiti as evidence of the lodge's use. One of Hamlin's favorites is on the bathroom door and reads: "Jane Wilcox – first time in a bathing suit. What a mermaid! July 17, 1917." Every summer, the entire family – children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins – goes to the cottage for a week-long family vacation.

"I thought I would be here for five or six years and then move on to bigger and better," says Hamlin of his first coming to Greenbelt. He quickly realized, though, that "there might be bigger but there certainly isn't better." He did mull over retirement this year but came to the conclusion that "I don't want to. I'm still healthy and I'm still making a contribution."

Folk adds to that: "He leads by example . . . with heart, soul and mind."

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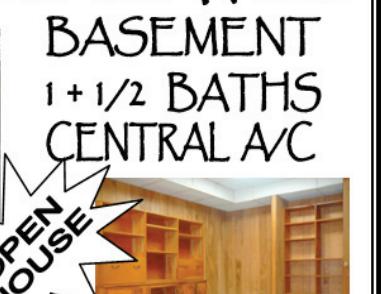
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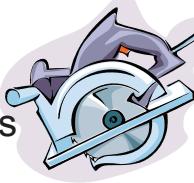
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# Do You Know Our Next Outstanding Citizen?

by James Giese

The chase is on once more. Who will be caught (by surprise, we hope) when named at the Friday Opening Ceremony of the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival as the 2009 Greenbelt Outstanding Citizen? Who will it be who receives the well-deserved applause of the many Greenbelters in attendance?

Right now no one knows the answer. But you might know just who that person should be. If so, it is up to you to see that that person receives the full consideration she or he deserves in this year's selection process.

It's time to let your nomination choice be known. A nomination form appears in this week's News Review. You can use it to submit your nomination to Outstanding Committee Chair Bob Zuby. Or you can do it simply by writing Zuby a letter telling all that you know about your choice. The more information the committee has, the better. You can even email him at [rczuby@aol.com](mailto:rczuby@aol.com).

## Qualifications

What qualifications does the Outstanding Citizen Committee look for in making its selection? The choice must be a Greenbelt resident, one whose actions have demonstrated a genuine interest in making our community a better place in which to live. The committee's choice will be a person who has contributed to the community through volunteer efforts. That choice could be someone who has been involved in so many activities that the person's name is well known throughout the community. Or the person selected could be someone whose contributions have been done in such a quiet, non-assuming manner as to be relatively unknown to most except friends and associates. The committee, with great difficulty, makes its choice on the basis of importance and the lasting impact of the contributions made by each nominee.

Often there are several nominees deserving of honor and recognition. The committee must then make the difficult choice of selecting the one and only to receive the honor for that year and hope that those passed over will continue to be nominated in future years.

Many outstanding citizens have been selected for their involvement in more than one community activity but usually the individual's efforts in one activity have been particularly noteworthy. The 2005 selectee, Jay Remenick, is noted for his dedication as a volunteer fireman. Others who have served this wonderful and essential organization that protects our lives and property may also deserve to be recognized.

Some selectees were involved with providing leadership to youth sports or other youth activities. The city has been

blessed with many such deserving volunteers.

Several have been recognized for leadership roles in the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival. With so many members of our community working together on each year's celebration to raise funds for so many worthy causes, there surely must have been others deserving of recognition who have been missed.

At least seven former Outstanding Citizens have been recognized for their work with the Greenbelt News Review, the voice of the city for almost 70 years. With more than 50 citizens involved with assuring that Greenbelters are kept informed each week, surely there are others worthy of recognition who have been missed.

Some have been honored for their work with the Greenbelt Lions Club which has made many worthy contributions to the community. Probably many others who work through this and other service organizations could meet the test for being recognized as outstanding.

Others have been recognized for their work with city cooperatives, helping to better education, serving our senior population, contributing to their churches, participating in neighborhood watches or serving the Greenbelt Museum.

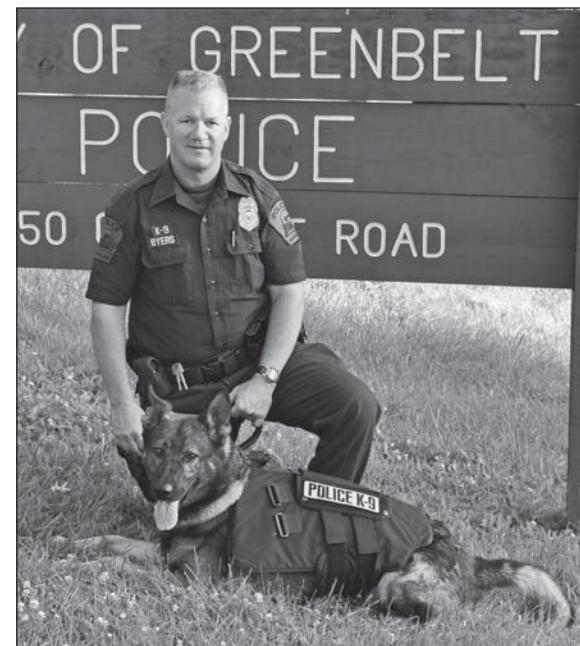
## Many Missed

Greenbelt is blessed with many organizations striving to make our city a better place in which to live. Surely among them are individuals whose contributions are so meaningful they deserve to be recognized.

But will they be? That is up to each and every Greenbelter whose responsibility it is to make known to the Outstanding Citizens Committee the names of persons deserving our recognition and honor.

Please don't wait until the August 3 deadline to make your choice known. The sooner you put together your nomination, the better chance you have of including all the important information needed to cause the committee to agree that your choice is the best.

# MPO Byers and His Partner Leon Win Vest



Master Police Officer Barry Byers and his canine partner Leon received a new ballistic K9 vest this weekend as part of a raffle at the United States Police Canine Association Region 3 PD1 Field Trials held at Schrom Hills Park in Greenbelt.

The raffle was held by 6-year-old Kayleigh Crimmins of Chesapeake, Va., who sold her toys in order to raise enough to buy a bulletproof vest for a police K9 as part of the Kids for K9s program.

- photo by Kelly Lawson

## Police Reassessed For Accreditation

The Greenbelt Police Department recently underwent the process of re-accreditation, in which a team of assessors from the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) conducts an onsite inspection. The Department must adhere to 463 standards to be accredited. A public hearing was held on Monday, June 15 at which many spoke positively about the department and its officers.

The assessors had many complimentary things to say about how the police department is adhering to the CALEA requirements. Overall the department received an outstanding onsite review and the assessors will be forwarding a favorable recommendation to the commission.

## Montpelier Mansion Family Fun Day

The Montpelier Mansion in Laurel will hold a Family Fun Day from 4 to 6 p.m. on Sunday, June 28 on the grounds of the mansion at 9650 Muirkirk Road in Laurel. Visitors of all ages are invited to explore the grounds of Montpelier, play games, do a craft, dress up in old-fashioned clothes and take a tour.

For more information call 301-377-7817.

# Festival Notes

## Entertainment

"Greenbelt Idol" is looking for singers, judges, a logo and its own Ryan Seacrest. Email [greenbeltidols@yahoo.com](mailto:greenbeltidols@yahoo.com) for more information.



The Battle of the Greenbelt Bands will make its Labor Day Weekend debut. One member must live, work or volunteer in Greenbelt. Send a CD with two to three songs to GLDFC, P.O. Box 2, Greenbelt, MD 20768. Three bands will perform Sunday of Labor Day Weekend and the winner will play during the New Year's celebration at the Community Center. Email [greenbeltbands@yahoo.com](mailto:greenbeltbands@yahoo.com) for more information.

## Shuttle

The Committee is looking for volunteers to drive the shuttle. The shuttle runs throughout the Festival and drivers work in shifts. Contact Brian York at 301-474-4610 if interested.

## Pageant

This year's theme for the Miss Greenbelt Pageant is "Chicago." Registration for the Pageant is ongoing. To sign up or for more information go to [www.missgreenbelt.com](http://www.missgreenbelt.com). There are two fundraisers planned for the Pageant. On July 27 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Five Guys on Greenbelt Road, mention the Miss Greenbelt Pageant when ordering and a portion of the cost will go to the Miss Greenbelt Scholarship.

Also, on August 1 there will be a Basket/Bag Bingo at the firehouse. Doors will open at noon.

## Outstanding Citizen

The search continues for Greenbelt's 37th Outstanding Citizen. Nomination forms are available online at [www.greenbelt.com](http://www.greenbelt.com) and are due August 3. Send nominations to Bob Zuby, 94 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770.

**Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Committee, Inc.**

## NOMINATION FORM Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen

Submit this form or a letter by Monday, August 3 to:  
Robert Zuby, Chair  
94 Ridge Rd., Greenbelt, MD 20770

Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Attach a statement (preferably printed or typed) which explains why the nominee deserves recognition as Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen. Possible subjects include a list of organizations or activities in which the nominee has participated, including length of time; specific accomplishments during each period of service; the impact on Greenbelt or on people within the city; and personal qualities which make the nominee special. Award is for volunteer (unpaid) work only. Supporting printed material will be accepted but is not required. Testimonials by others as to the person's good works will be helpful.

You may be contacted for additional information. If you prefer, send this form now and complete the statement later, but no later than the August 3rd deadline.

Nominated By:

Name(s) (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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Rain date, July 5<sup>th</sup>, Noon – 8:00 p.m.